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EQUIPPED THEREWITH

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AMENDMENT

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S I R :

This is responsive to the Office Action mailed April 19, 2005, the term for response to which expires on July 19, 2005.

Amendments to the Specification are set forth on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Drawings are described on page 3 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are set forth in the listing of claims which begins on page 4 of this paper. Claim 1 is canceled; claims 2-17 are amended; and claims 18-24 are added

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